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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97(b), Applicants bring to the attention of the Examiner the documents listed on the attached PTO Form 1449. To the best of the undersigned's knowledge, this Information Disclosure Statement is being before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits for the above-referenced application, and no fees are believed to be necessary.

A copy of each of the listed documents is attached for the Examiner's convenience. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the listed documents and evidence that consideration by making the appropriate notations on the attached PTO Form 1449.

Each document cited in this information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) was cited on pages 4 and 5 of the specification and the relevance can be understood therefrom.

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Document Number	Date	Country	Class	Sub Class	<u>Translation</u> YES NO
10-86081	April 7, 1998	Japan			Abstract

OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

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